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*Whitehall, May 21.*

ABOUT One a-Clock this Morning a Meſſenger arrived with an Account, that His Majeſty landed at Helvoetſluys on Sunday laſt, about Six a-Clock in the Afternoon.

AT the Court at *Kenſington*, the 22d Day of *May*, 1735.

PRESENT,

The Queen's moſt Excellent Majeſty,
His Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales,
Lord Chancellor,
Lord Preſident,
Lord Privy Seal,
Lord Steward,
Lord Chamberlain,
Duke of Rutland,
Duke of Argyll,
Duke of Athol,
Duke of Kent,
Duke of Ancaſter,
Duke of Newcaſtle,
Duke of Chandos,
Duke of Dorſet,
Earl of Scarbrough,
Earl of Grantham,
Earl of Selkirk,
Earl of Ilay,
Earl of Uxbridge,
Earl Fitzwalter,
Viſcount Lonſdale,
Viſcount Torrington,
Lord Hervey,
Lord Hardwicke,
Mr. Speaker,
Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer,
Mr. Comptroller,
Maſter of the Rolls,
Ld. Ch. Juſtice Eyre,
Sir Paul Methuen,
Sir Charles Wills,
Sir Robert Sutton,
Henry Pelham, Eſq;
Sir Charles Wager,
Stephen Poyntz, Eſq;

The King's Commiſſion, appointing Her moſt Excellent Majeſty the Queen Regent over this Kingdom, by the Stile and Title of Guardian of the Kingdom of Great Britain and His Majeſty's Lieutenant within the ſame during His Majeſty's Abſence, was this Day, by Her Majeſty's Command, opened and read in His Majeſty's moſt Honourable Privy Council; after which, his Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales, and all the Lords and others of the Council who were preſent, had the Honour to kiſs her Majeſty's Hand.

His Majeſty having been pleaſed to appoint Henry Arthur Herbert, Eſq; to be Lieutenant of the County of Salop, he this Day took the Oaths appointed to be taken thereupon inſtead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy.

*Hague, May* 31, *N. S.* His Britannick Majeſty arrived at Helvoetſluys on Sunday at Six a-Clock in the Afternoon, and ſet out immediately for Utrecht, where he arrived at Two the next Morning, and having reſted till Seven, his Majeſty ſet out in order to lie that Night at Bentheim, and reach Herenhauſen the next Day. The Lord Harrington arrived here Yeſterday, and in the Evening waited on her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs Royal and the Prince of Orange: This Day he viſited the Grand Penſionary, M. Fagel, and other Gentlemen of the Regency; he deſigns to proceed on his Journey for Hanover To-morrow in the Afternoon, or the next Morning.

*Whitehall, May* 24.

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint Henry Ingram, Eſq; to be Commiſſary of the Stores of War and Proviſions for his Majeſty's Forces in Minorca, in the Room of Waller Bacon, Eſq; deceaſed.

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint John Hampden, Eſq; to be Commiſſary General of the Stores of War and Proviſions for his Majeſty's Forces at the Garriſon of Gibraltar, in the Room of Henry Ingram, Eſq;

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint Anthony Wheelock, Gent. to be Clerk of the Markets of St. Jago de la Vega, Kingſton, and Port Royal in Jamaica, in the Room of Bryan Wheelock, Gent. deceaſed.

*Whereas on the 18th of April laſt, Mr. Newby, Collector of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms at Woodbridge in Suffolk, having received Information of ſome Tea being lodged in a Houſe in Seymour near Hadleigh, did, with the Aſſiſtance of another Officer of the Cuſtoms, and a Serjeant and three Dragoons, ſeize in an Almſhouſe Ten Bags containing near Four Hundred Weight of Tea, which he ſecured at the Exciſe-Office at Hadleigh that Night: And as he was carrying the ſame the next Day to the Cuſtom-houſe at Ipſwich, they were attacked on the Road about a Mile from Hadleigh, by above Twenty Perſons on Horſeback, who were all armed with Blunderbuſſes, Fowling Pieces, Piſtols, and other Weapons, fired on the Officers and Dragoons, carried away the Tea, and ſhot William Cam, one of the Dragoons, in the Shoulder, of which Wound he died the next Day; and wounded the Serjeant and two other Dragoons, killed two of their Horſes, and wounded another. — And it appearing upon Oath, that William Neale and John Harvey of Boxford, Henry Clarke of Hintleſham, Miller, William Ruffell of Seamar, Benjamin Witherell of Seamar, Yeoman, Benedictus Poſford of Seamar, William Poſford of Seamar, Samuel Lemon of Bildeſton, Comber, William Cock of Hadleigh, Locksmith, John Ranſon of Hintleſham, Blackſmith, James Ponder of Monks Eleigh, Samuel Gallant of the ſame, and others were acting in the ſaid Murder and Reſcue: — His Majeſty is pleaſed to promiſe His moſt Gracious Pardon to any two of the Perſons concerned, (except the ſaid Neale and Harvey, or the ſaid Clarke, who it is ſuppoſed kill'd the ſaid Cam, or the Perſon who it ſhall appear did actually kill him) in Caſe they ſhall be the Means of Apprehending any of the other Offenders beforementioned, or ſhall diſcover and apprehend any of the Offenders, whoſe Names are not here named, ſo as that they or any of them ſhall be convicted of the Murder. — And for a further Encouragement for ſuch Diſcovery, and for apprehending the Offenders, His Majeſty is pleaſed to promiſe a Reward of One Hundred Pounds each, for apprehending the ſaid William Neale, John Harvey, and Henry Clarke, or either of them; and Fifty Pounds each for apprehending the ſaid William Ruffell, Benjamin Witherell, Benedictus Poſford, William Poſford, Samuel Lemon, William Cock, John Ranſon, James Ponder, and Samuel Gallant, or any of the reſt of the Offenders, ſo as that they be convicted of the Murder, to be paid by the Receiver General of the Cuſtoms.*

Stamp-Office, May 22, 1735.

*The Commiſſioners for manadging His Majeſty's Stamp Revenues, do hereby give Notice, that by a Clauſe in an Act of laſt Seſſion of Parliament, intituled, An Act for granting and continuing the Duties upon Salt, and upon Red and White Herrings, it is, inter alia, enacted to the Effect following: That for the Relief of all Maſters and Miſtreſſes who have omitted to pay his Majeſty's*